

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

CALEB GRANT,
Plaintiff,

v.

DEPUTY DANIEL KROLIKOWSKI, ET AL.,
Defendants.

Case No. 23CV551

DECLARATION OF CALEB J. GRANT RE: EXHIBIT L

I, Caleb Grant, plaintiff in Case No. 3:23-cv-00551-jdp, declare under penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746:

1. I personally transcribed the audio from the video evidence of the May 18, 2023, traffic stop (Dkt. 87-1), submitted by Defendants, to create a transcript documenting the exact timing and order of statements made during the stop.
2. The attached transcript (Exhibit L) is a true and accurate representation of the video's audio content to the best of my knowledge, prepared in good faith to assist the Court in locating specific statements and their sequence and contains the relevant portion of the event.
3. The transcript is not an official court document but is submitted as a reference tool to support my response to Defendants' Proposed Findings of Fact (Dkt. 162).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: May 10, 2025

/s/ Caleb J. Grant

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Time in Video	Time end of speaker	Who was speaking	What was said
02:43.00		Kro	This your car then?
02:45.00		CG	Is it my car?
02:45.80		Kro	Yea. I'm assuming
02:47.50		CG	I don't gotta answer that... but...
02:50.00		CG	I am driving privately though
02:54.00		Kro	hmm?
02:54.50		CG	I'm traveling private just so you know
02:56.00		Kro	You said you're driving privately
02:58.00		CG	I'm traveling privately
02:59.00		Kro	You said you were driving privately
03:00.00		CG	Correction, I'm traveling privately
03:05.00		Kro	Well...
03:06.00		CG	so...
03:07.00		Kro	yah... Doesn't make a difference if it's on the road it's on the road and your operating it.
03:13.00		CG	Well it's...(cut off by Kro)
03:14.00		Kro	Unless somebody jumped into the back seat I didn't see but... hee...
03:18.00		CG	Can I not, can I not travel, travel privately?
03:24.00		Kro	We're not going to play those games, OK.
03:27.00		Kro	you're on the road. You have to follow the laws, including equipment.
03:31.00		CG	Are you assuming I'm a 14 th amendment citizen?
03:35.00		Kro	A what?
03:35.00		CG	A 14 th Amendment Citizen, are you assuming that?
03:38.00		Kro	I'm not assuming anything about your citizenship at all.
03:40.00		CG	So if I'm driving... or traveling privately is that...
03:50.00		Kro	The Sargent is with me just so you're aware, Hey...
03:50.00		CG	How's it going?
03:50.00		Kro	I stopped him for this tail pipe sticking way out and ... explaining it to him...
03:55.00		Kro	Did you say you... you have a smart phone, you want to look up the trans code at... to see the wording, just so we can, we can be on the same page?
04:00.00		CG	Well I'd like you to bring it up please.
04:07.75		Kro	No, we don't have to approve it. I mean, I'll go... I'll prove it in the form of a citation if you wish.

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04:12.10	Kro	What is your name? Did you want to give me your name verbally?
04:14.10	CG	I'd rather not.
04:16.00	Kro	OK
04:17.70	Kro	Same situation.
04:19.00	Knull	K
04:20.00	Kro	Step out
04:20.00	04:21.10 CG	So, so you're coming after me?
04:21.70	04:22.50 Kro	Step out of the vehicle
04:22.10	CG	Hold on
		Step out or the window's breakin'. What do you want to do?
04:23.00	04:24.10 Kro	You're going to... wait... OK, OK, OK, OK
04:25.00	04:26.00 CG	Step out (over voice of CG) step out, out of the car.
04:26.00	Kro	Step out
04:26.00	Knull	OK
04:28.00	CG	Unlock the door
04:28.70	Kro	Keep your hands where I can see them
04:29.60	04:30.50 Kro	I'm
04:31.00	CG	I'm unlocking the door
04:31.80	04:32.50 CG	
04:32.10	Kro	Answer me this now too. (Over the top of CG)
04:33.50	04:34.50 Kro	Do you have any weapons in this car?
04:36.00	04:35.80 CG	Not that I'm aware
04:37.20		DOOR UNLOCKS
04:37.40	04:38.80 Kro	Step out of the vehicle
		Keep your hands where I can see them (door is opening squeeking sound)
04:38.80	Kro	Face the vehicle – keep your hands up.
04:41.90	04:43.50 Kro	Put your hands behind you back.
04:43.90	04:44.60 Knull	Sound of ratcheting of cuffs
04:49.50		There might be a pocket knife in my front left.
04:50.00	04:54.70 CG	Pocket knife is ok.err...
04:55.70	Kro	You been convicted of any felonies you know of?
04:56.50	04:58.80 Kro	Not that I know of (over top of Kro voice)
04:58.20	CG	Pocket knife is fine. But from a safety standpoint we'd want to know about it. So I thank you. OK?
05:00.90	05:06.00 Kro	It might be in your left if you have it?
05:15.00	Kro	yeah
05:17.00	CG	Should I keep using these?
05:21.00	Kro	You said you had a knife in your pocket.
05:23.80	Knull	I thought I did.
05:25.90	05:26.40 CG	

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05:27.00	Kro	the thing is that now your saying you don't know where it is? So we've got some inconsistencies, so... we're talkin' about our safety
05:33.40	CG	well I must no have brought it with me
05:36.50	Kro	Is your wallet with ya?
05:37.00	CG	why?
05:39.00	Kro	we need to identify you.
05:41.00	Kro	are you going to provide identification to us verbally or with a state ID drivers license
05:46.40	CG	Sir, did you pull me over because...(cut off)
05:47.60	Kro	Are you going to answer that or not?
	CG	Answer what?
05:49.20	CG	Did you pull me over for (cut off again)
		Are you going to answer that or not? Yes or No.
05:49.80	05:51.90 Kro	Answer what?
05:52.10	CG	Are you going to identify yourself to us.
05:52.80	Kro	Why would I have to (cut off again by Kro)
05:55.00	CG	because you've on the road and you have a traffic violation
05:56.40	05:59.00 Kro	Is it a traffic violation?
05:59.00	CG	
06:00.50	06:01.70 Kro	it's an equipment violation, sorry I miss-spoke
06:02.90	06:04.50 Kro	I'm gonna adjust these...tighten up again
06:04.20	Knoll	You have been lawfully pulled over, when you're required by law to identify yourself.
06:12.50	CG	Did you pull me over because of something else?
06:15.20	Knoll	because of the violation of your exhaust
		I, I thought... did I not over hear... about another situation? Are you assuming, I got... had a situation before? Is that what you're assuming?
06:17.40	CG	
06:26.50	06:27.70 Kro	No, I was talkin' about your tail pipe
06:28.00	CG	No I thought you just told him, outside the car... did you not?
06:33.00	Kro	What did I say?
06:33.40	06:34.00 CG	That there was another situation (cut off by Knoll)
06:34.50	Knoll	we've had other situations where people refusing to identify themselves.
06:37.40	06:38.50 Kro	Yeah... it one of those situations.
06:38.50	CG	OK
		So... the fact that you were refusing to identify yourself, we can lawfully remove you from the car and arrest you for obstructing.
06:39.00	Knoll	obstructing...(cut off by Knoll)
06:47.20	06:47.60 CG	and take you to jail, yeah!
06:47.40	06:48.70 Knoll	

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06:50.10	07:13.80 Knull	you have to identify yourself... lawfully, to the police... you have... been believed to have violated a law with your exhaust and you are lawfully being detained, and by law you need to identify yourself and you're refusing to do that.
07:14.00	Kro	well, it pretty simple
07:17.00	07:19.00 CG	I'm traveling...(cut off by Knull) traveling privately
07:18.00	07:25.00 Knull	No, you're not traveling, you're driving on a public road and Wisconsin law says you have to have a drivers license to legally drive on the road.
07:26.00	07:36.00 Knull	You can say all this bullshit you want about "traveling" and what the supreme court has said about "traveling" and "not for hire" and all that crap.
07:37.00	Kro	Commerce and
07:37.00	50:00.00 Knull	OK... I understand the Supreme Court said that youo are allowed to travel, however, if you continue to read in that same paragraph it says that the states may require yu to have a license. This state does.
07:51.20	07:53.90 Knull	You have to have a license to drive in the state. PERIOD!
07:55.00	Knull	Whatever you believe or not.
07:56.00	Kro	do you have a license?
07:58.00	CG	I don't
07:58.90	Knull	do you have an id card?
08:00.80	CG	Why do I need to provide an ID
08:02.00	08:03.00 Kro	So we know who you are.
08:03.20	08:03.70 Knull	(over Kro) So we know who you are.
08:03.90	08:06.00 Kro	it's very important,, we want to do things the right way
08:06.00	Knull	Right
08:07.00	08:10.00 Kro	If you want to make that difficult or ... or do you want it done the right way.
08:11.00	08:11.80 Kro	This look like parents.
08:12.00	Knull	get in the car
08:13.00	Kro/Knull	in the car
08:14.00		Squeaking of car door to Golf
08:20.50	JG	Can I ask you why you are...
08:22.00	Knull	Absolutely
08:23.40	JG	Why do you...
08:24.00	Knull	stand back a little bit
08:24.70	JG	What are you... I'm sorry I,
08:26.00	08:28.00 Knull	stand back, I can talk louder if you want.
08:28.50	JG	OK
08:29.00	08:31.00 JG	Why are you handcuffing him?

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08:31.00	08.33.00	Knull	because he's refusing to identify himself
08:33.10		08:34.00 JG	OK, and why did you pull him over?
08:35.00		08:36.00 Knull	Because he's got an illegal exhaust.
08:36.00		JG	That's an illegal exhaust?
08:38.00		Knull	it is, yep, and hold on...
08:40.00		08:42.00 JG	and your name is?
08:42.50		Knull	Sargent Knull
08:43.50		JG	K. I would like your badge number
08:45.00		Knull	Nine
08:46.00		JG	number nine, and who is cuffing him?
08:48.00		Knull	Deputy Krolikowski, he's 9112
			9112, and are you going to tell me that you have not been looking for him? Are you going to tell me right now that you have not been tracking him and harassing him on the road?
08:50.00		JG	No
09:04.00		Knull	
			It is the law that you need to identify yourself when you are lawfully pulled over. He's refusing to do that.
11:14.00		Knull	

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